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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. William Tidwell, ODD/I

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SUBJECT:

Attached Memorandum from [redacted]

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[redacted] Relative to Simulations to Aid in
the Design and Utilization of SAMOS

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1. Attached hereto is a draft of the subject memorandum which I think you might find interesting to review and criticize. I would appreciate your comments in written form before the next 117L Advisory Committee Meeting in Santa Monica on 21-22 July 1960.

2. It is my observation that [redacted] proposal represents a giant-size simulation at a cost of perhaps three million dollars. It is theoretical, probably unrealistic, and maybe even untimely, to start this kind of program at this late stage in the SAMOS development. However, I know that this will be an agenda item at the Santa Monica meeting, and I would therefore like to have your comments along with mine when we are requested to express our collective views on the subject.

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3. I would request that you make no lateral dissemination of this draft paper inasmuch as [redacted] was sending it on to me for criticism before finalizing his views.

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Director
Photographic Intelligence Center

Attachment:
as stated